

Nevada Registration Essentials

Step-by-Step Registration process for "For-Profit" new business

1. Nevada resident and non-resident

Most registration processes require a street address. If you are not a Nevada resident then consider hiring a "Nevada registered agent" or a "Nevada business attorney" for some or all business registration services.

If you are a Nevada resident then follow the steps below.

2. Register a business name

In the State of Nevada, sole proprietorship is referred to as "FFN" or "Fictitious Firm Name". To register business as a sole proprietorship (FFN) or general partnership, register at Clark County, Clerks Office.

<http://clarkcountynv.gov>



To register business as a Limited Liability Company, Limited Partnership, Limited Liability Partnership, Corporation, Foreign Corporation and Non-Profit Corporation, register it with the Nevada Secretary of State.

<http://nvsos.gov>



3. Obtain free EIN number from Internal Revenue Service

EIN (Employer Identification Number), is also known as Federal Tax Identification number. Get it for free from the IRS.

<http://irs.gov>



4. Nevada State business license - Nevada Secretary of State

Most "For-profit" businesses are required to obtain a State license. Inquire from the Nevada Secretary of State to determine if your business requires Nevada State license.

<http://nvsos.gov>



5. Visit Nevada Department of Taxation

Prior to starting a business, visit the Nevada Department of Taxation to learn about state tax information specific to your business, learn about sales-tax, use-tax, other tax liabilities, filing process, audit process, recent updates and more.

<http://tax.state.nv.us>



6. Regulatory and local business license(s)

Determine your business jurisdiction prior to obtaining license(s).

<http://gisgate.co.clark.nv.us/ziploc>



Regulatory License: Depending on the nature of a business, regulatory license (Liquor, Gaming, other) may be required prior to obtaining a local business license. Local business license office, county and/or state issue and govern regulatory licenses. Visit your local business licensing office to inquire if your business requires any regulatory permits or if there are any other necessities prior to obtaining a local business license.

Local Business License: Your local business jurisdiction office issues local business license(s). If conducting business or trade in more than one jurisdiction then it may be necessary to obtain license from additional applicable jurisdictions.

City of Las Vegas
Jurisdiction Licensing

<http://lasvegasnevada.gov>



City of North Las Vegas
Jurisdiction Licensing

<http://cityofnorthlasvegas.com>



City of Henderson
Jurisdiction Licensing

<http://cityofhenderson.com>



Clark County
Jurisdiction Licensing

<http://clarkcountynv.gov>

